

REPORT ON INFORMATION COLLECTED CONCERNING APPLICANT

Under section 60835 of title 2 of the California Code of Regulations, the Bureau of State Audits is responsible for collecting information concerning applicants for the Citizens Redistricting Commission that is needed by the Applicant Review Panel to perform its responsibilities. This is a report by Bureau staff in compliance with that responsibility.

Name of Applicant: Alan "Skip" Jorgensen.

Information: Research conducted by Bureau staff revealed no relevant information concerning Applicant that was not already disclosed in his application materials or the August 5, 2010 report previously submitted by Bureau staff. However, staff contacted Anne Hartline, the author of one of Applicant's letters of recommendation, to confirm the information provided in the letter and receive any additional information that may be relevant. Ms. Hartline confirmed the information in the letter and added that she worked as a teacher and then principal with Applicant when he was Superintendent of McKinleyville Union School District. Ms. Hartline stated that when Applicant overruled her decisions, Ms. Hartline understood the reasons for Applicant's actions. According to Ms. Hartline, Applicant made his decisions fairly and in conformity with the State's Educational Code. Ms. Hartline stated that Applicant had good, solid reasons for his actions and was not swayed by parental pressures. She added that Applicant is very thoughtful, intelligent, and calm under pressure.

Recommendation: None.

Name and Title of Person Submitting Report: Steven Benito Russo, Chief of Investigations.

Report Date: September 19, 2010.